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1. The Rumanian 2 Antitank Regiment is bivouacked near Copaceni de Sus, about 20 kilometers south of Bucharest. The camp is situated about 800 meters to the east of the Bucharest-Giurgiu road and about 500 meters northeast of the bridge crossing the Arges River. It consists of 24 barracks and 7 hangars.
2. The regiment is commanded by Major Istrate Panait and his adjutant is Captain Emil Zavoiu.
3. The regiment is part of the 23 Brigade of the 7 Infantry Division, and it consists of three groups having three batteries each. The approximate strength of each group is 300 to 350 men belonging to the classes of 1928 to 1934.
4. The first of the three groups is armed with 83 mm cannons, type "GR 52", four per battery. The second group is armed with pieces of German origin.

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The troops wore epaulets the color of their uniforms with reddish-orange borders.

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